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In re Patent Application of:
Ashwin J. Mathew et al.

Application No.: 10/767,380

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Art Unit: 2161

For: FRACTIONAL DATA SYNCHRONIZATION
AND CONSOLIDATION IN AN ENTERPRISE
INFORMATION SYSTEM

Examiner: Kim, Paul

RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the election of species requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed July 27, 2006, Applicant hereby elects the species of Group 1, which includes claims 1-19, for continued examination without traverse. Accordingly, non-elected claims will be cancelled on due course. No claim is considered generic.

Applicants believe this reply is fully responsive to all outstanding issues and places this application in condition for allowance. If this belief is incorrect, or other issues arise, the Examiner is encouraged to contact the undersigned or his associates at the telephone number listed below. Applicants believe no fee is due with this response. However, if a fee is due,

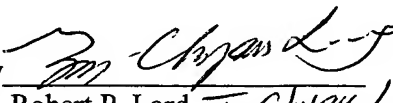
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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